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**PATENT APPLICATION
IN THE UNITED STATES PATENT AND TRADEMARK OFFICE
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In re Application of:)
Basford, William C.) Patent Examiner:
Filing Date: June 8, 2001) Patel, Kiran B.
Serial No.: 09/877,585) ART UNIT: 3612
For:)
AERODYNAMIC COMBINATION FOR)
IMPROVED BASE DRAG REDUCTION)
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March 5, 2005
Hallowell, Maine
Zip: 04347

SUPPLEMENTAL NOTICE OF APPEAL

Applicant hereby notices an Appeal from the:

1. Final rejection dated May 27, 2003 under both 35 USC 112 and 35 USC 103(a);
2. Refusal to include claim 30 among the Examined claims.
3. Entry of the Election-Restriction requirement dated Sept. 24, 2002 without claim 30 included in the claims to be examined.
4. Failure of the PTO to grant an extension which, Mr. Oberleitner, Director Patent Technology Center 3600, states "should have been given in the Advisory Action" dated October 17, 2003.
5. Failure by the PTO, to Applicant's great detriment, to list all contents of the present Application in the PAIR system.
6. Loss by the PTO of many relevant, original case file documents.
7. Failure to follow Section 12.03 of the MPEP and notify Applicant that a timely, earlier-filed Notice of Appeal (dated November 25, 2003) was unacceptable.
8. Failure to give a one month extension of time relating to an unacceptable Notice of Appeal in accordance with MPEP Section 12.07.